

## Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA.

January 3<sup>rd</sup> 1880.

Wm A. Loudon Snowden,  
Superintendent,

Sir;

I have the honor to report, that,  
the following Dies were used in the Coinage of 1879. to-wit-

<u>Gold</u>	D. Eagles.	Eagles	$\frac{1}{2}$ Eagle.	3 Dollars.	$\frac{1}{4}$ Eagle.	Dollars.	Total
Obverse	7.	7.	9	1	2	1	27
Reverse	6.	5.	6	1	2	1	21
Total	13	12	15	2	4	2	48
<u>Silver</u>	Dollars	$\frac{1}{2}$ Dollars	$\frac{1}{4}$ Dollars	Dimes			
Obverse	129	1	1	4			135
Reverse	86	1	1	14			102
Total	215	2	2	18			237
<u>Minor.</u>	5 <sup>th</sup> Nickel	3 <sup>rd</sup> Nickel	1 <sup>st</sup> Bronze				
Obverse	6	6	77				89
Reverse	10	6	69				85
Total	16	12	146				174



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Recapitulation	Gold	Silver	Minor	Total
Obverse	27	135	89	251
Reverse	21	102	85	208
Total	48	237	174	459

This number agrees with the number reported by the Engraver, as delivered to the Mint during the year 1849.

All of these dies were destroyed by the use of the forge and sledge, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3550 Revised Statutes, with the exception of the following reverse dies which were re-delivered to the Mint for use during 1880, to-wit:

Eagle	1.
Dime	9.
One Cent (1¢)	5.
Total	15.



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Total number of Dies received. 459.

Number of Reverses returned. 15.

Total number destroyed. 444.

The 444 dies actually used up in the Coinage of 1879, were as follows.

		Obverse	Reverse	Total	Grand Total
Gold	2 <sup>d</sup> Eagle	7	6	13	
	Eagle	7	4	11	
	1/2 Eagle	9	6	15	
	1/4 "	2	2	4	
	Three Dollar	1	1	2	
	Dollar	1	1	2	
	Total	27	20	47	47
Silver	Dollar	129	86	215	
	1/2 Dollar	1	1	2	
	1/4 Dollar	1	1	2	
	Dime	4	5	9	
	Total	135	93	228	228
Minor.	Five cent nickel	6	10	16	
	Three " "	6	6	12	
	One " bronze.	77	64	141	
		89	80	169	169



Statement of the number and denomination of pieces coined, with the number of dies used in their production during the years 1878 & 1879.

Denomination	Number of pieces Coined.	1878.			Number of pieces struck per pair of dies.	1879.			Number of pieces struck per pair of dies.	
		Number of Dies used.				Number of dies used.				
		O.	R.	Total.		O.	R.	Total.		
Double Eagles	543.645	26	32	58	18.746	207.630	7	6	13	31.943
Eagles	73.800	4	3	7	21.086	384.770	7	4	11	69.958
Half Eagles	131.740	5	4	9	29.275	301.950	9	6	15	40.260
Three Dollars	82.324	2	3	5	23.130	3.030	1	1	2	3.030
Quarter Eagles	286.260	6	7	13	44.040	88.990	2	2	4	44.495
Dollars	3.020	1	1	2	3.020	3.030	1	1	2	3.030
Total gold	1.120.789	44	50	94	23.846	989.400	27	20	47	42.142
Dollars	10.509.550	123	129	252	83.410	14.807.100	129	86	215	137.740
Half Dollars	1.378.400	20	17	37	74.508	5.900	1	1	2	5.900
Quarter Dollars	2.260.800	35	37	72	62.800	14.700	1	1	2	14.700
Dimes.	1.678.800	19	11	30	111.920	15.100	4	5	9	3.355
Total silver	15.827.550	197	194	391	80.957	14.842.800	135	93	228	130.200
Five Cents	2.350	-	-	-	-	29.100	6	10	16	3.637
Three Cents	2.350	1	-	1	-	41.200	6	6	12	6.700
One Cents	5.799.850	32	43	75	154.661	16.231.200	77	64	141	230.220
Total minor	5.804.550	33	43	76	152.757	16.301.500	89	80	169	182.917
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Silver	15.827.550	197	194	391	80.957	14.842.800	135	93	228	130.200
Minor	5.804.550	33	43	76	152.757	16.301.500	89	80	169	182.917
Grand total	22.752.889	274	287	561	81.115	32.133.700	251	193	444	144.786

Very Respectfully

Your Obl. Servant

O. C. Crosby

Coroner.



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O. C. Crosby & Co.  
Coiners

January 3, 1880

Schedule of dies  
used in 1879, and  
dies defaced and  
destroyed.

Also statement  
of the number of  
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1878 & 1879, and  
the number of dies  
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them.

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